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The best way to ensure your puppy bonds with you is to spend time with them, especially during the first few days they are with you. Bring your new pup home when you have a few days free to spend with them. This is an important time for you and your pup - the start of a bond that will continue throughout your pup's life. Remember that when your pup first arrives at their new home, it will be strange and unfamiliar to them, and they will be missing their mum and littermates. You can help make this time easier for your puppy by spending time with them. Your puppy will repay you by making you laugh and by being a loyal companion throughout their life!

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